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In re Application of: Benedyk et al.

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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR COMMUNICATING SS7 MESSAGES  
OVER PACKET-BASED NETWORK USING TRANSPORT ADAPTER LAYER  
INTERFACE

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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated April 13, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period for reply expired on July 13, 2004. A Petition for a 3-month Extension of Time is filed herewith extending the time for response up to and including October 13, 2004. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

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